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For: PROCESS AND COMPOSITION FOR :
INHIBITING GROWTH OF MICRO- :
ORGANISMS :

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 and § 1.98, Applicants bring the disclosures attached and listed on completed Form PTO-1449 to the Examiner's attention and request that they be considered and made of record in this application.

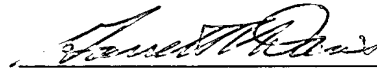
The enclosed documents were cited in Applicants' corresponding PCT application, and a copy of the International Search Report dated October 19, 2004 is enclosed.

The subject application was filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office after June 30, 2003. Accordingly, pursuant to the waiver of the requirement under 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2)(i), copies of the U.S. patents and U.S. patent application publications cited on the attached Form PTO-1449 are not enclosed.

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